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1. [] Received a call from Arch Nahigian, Special Assistant to Representative B. F. Sisk (D., Calif.), who asked if a tour or other arrangements could be made for briefing five honor interns employed in the office this summer. I told him I would come by during the day tomorrow or Friday and see if we could arrange an appropriate date for a short briefing in Representative Sisk's office.

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2. [] Conveyed to Jim Calloway, Counsel, Senate Appropriations Committee, and to G. Robert Blakey, Chief Counsel, Senate Subcommittee on Criminal Laws and Procedures, Judiciary Committee, Mr. Colby's very strong personal opposition to the so-called Holtzman amendment and indicated that he would be pleased to speak to Chairman McClellan on the subject following his testimony before the Armed Services Committee this morning. Calloway said he would pass this on to McClellan and if the Chairman had any problems about the amendment he would call us.

Later in the day I checked with Blakey who said time did not permit action on the bill today so it was put over until tomorrow. He will advise us of the floor action as soon as it is taken.

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3. [] Ed Bauser, Executive Director, Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, called regarding the Chinese nuclear test at Lop Nor and asked if I would drop by tomorrow and give him whatever information we had on it. I said I would do so.

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4. [] Accompanied Messrs. Colby and Shackley who appeared before the Senate Armed Services Committee jointly with Defense and State officials to discuss the U.S. role in Laos. See Memo for Record.

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5. [] Lunched with Ed Braswell, Chief Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, with whom I discussed possible questions for which we should be prepared during Mr. Colby's confirmation hearing Monday.

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